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THE FINAL SUMMONS

Comes to the Aged Mother of Judge T. F. Birkhead.

Death Follows Injuries Received at Her Home Almost Two Weeks Ago.

Mrs. Miranda Birkhead died Friday night at 12 o'clock at her home in Owensboro as the result of injuries sustained by a fall last Monday week ago. Since being injured she had been confined to her bed, but for a time it was thought she would recover. Last Thursday, however, complications set in and she rapidly sunk to the end.

At the time of the accident which caused her death, Mrs. Birkhead was engaged in some light household duty. While thus engaged her feet became entangled in the folds of her dress and she was thrown heavily to the floor, breaking her hip and otherwise injuring herself. The injured member was set however, and Mrs. Birkhead immediately showed signs of improvement and her recovery was looked for. Her age told against her, however, and with other complications caused her death.

Mrs. Birkhead was one of the best known women in Daviess county and was the mother of a very large family. She was born in Shelby county on July 4, 1824, and was, therefore, nearly eighty years of age. She was the daughter of Rev. Reuben Cottrell, who was a noted Baptist minister of Virginia. He moved to Daviess county in 1834 and lived there until his death.

The funeral was held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning at the Macedonia church. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Dawson. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Herman Birkhead, Ernest Birkhead, of Hartford, Moody Birkhead, Eben Birkhead and Carl Birkhead, all of whom are grandsons of the deceased.

RENDER.

June 1.—Mr. P. J. Quinlan, of Paducah, was in this city yesterday on business.

Mr. Rhea Armstrong, of Leitchfield, was in this city last Saturday on business.

Mr. P. D. Tweddell has accepted a position with S. J. Tichenor, McHenry.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Petty have returned after an extended visit with relatives in Fordsville and Owensboro.

Mr. W. S. Vick, of Owensboro, was here yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Klee Pierce, of Herrin, Ill., are visiting Mrs. Pierce's mother, Mrs. R. J. Engleby, of this city.

Mr. C. K. Reneer, of Centertown, is the city marshal of Render. Mr. Russell resigned.

Mr. Chas. Cargal is here on a few days visit with his parents. Charlie is from Herrin, Ill.

Messrs. J. W. Baker and Simon Stephens attended the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis last week. Both report a pleasant time.

Messrs. Jack Dempsey and Gus Dettie went to Louisville Sunday.

Mr. James Vellar, of Taylor Mines, was in this city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Jake McIntyre returned yesterday from Linton, Ind., where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Francis, for a month.

Miss Rosa Belle Cobb, of Sacramento, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. E. Harris, at this writing.

Mrs. B. C. Dowell is visiting in Owensboro this week.

Miss Mary Cargal is the guest of friends at Echols this week.

Miss Josie Daniel, of Dayton, Tenn., is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spence, at this writing.

Mrs. Jas. Martin was a visitor at Island last week.

N. B. Hocker left for Springfield, Ill., last week to reside for the future.

Mr. Buel Garrett visited friends in

Rockport last Sunday.

Messrs. John Barrass and James Penman attended the baseball game at Central City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neighbors had a visitor to call to see them last week to live with them for a long time. By the way its a boy baby. Jack says he is going to be a ball player.

Prof. V. M. Moseley went to Hartford to-day.

Mr. W. E. Kelly, of Odin, Ill., was a visitor in this city last week.

Mr. George Fletcher, of Leitchfield, has contracted to build the I. O. O. F. and I. O. R. M. hall at McHenry.

Mr. Claude Chisenhall, of Rockport, was in town Sunday.

Rev. Burnett, of Hartford, will conduct a series of meetings in the church at this place commencing May 30th.

SCHOOL BOOKS VOTED FOR.

Meeting of the County Commission Held Last Saturday.

The County School Book Commission, composed of Supt. DeWeese, County Attorney Baraes and Judge Miller, met in the office of the Superintendent Saturday and cast Ohio county's vote for the books submitted by the American Book Co. After thorough examination the above books were found to be greatly superior in subject matter and mechanical excellence to all others submitted to the board. It was a matter of sincere regret to the commission that no suitable text in civil government was submitted and that only one text in grammar was before it. The following is the list voted for showing the cost price and exchange price, and they will, without a doubt, be adopted by the State, viz:

The Modern Pronouncing Speller cost price 12c. Exchange price 6c. McGuffey's Electric Primer, 10c-5c. McGuffey's First Reader, 12c-6c. McGuffey's Second Reader, 20c-10c. McGuffey's Third Reader, 27c-13c. McGuffey's Fourth Reader, 35c-17c. McGuffey's Fifth Reader, 45c-22c. Ray's Modern Primary Arithmetic, 13c-6c. Ray's Modern Intellectual Arithmetic, 20c-10c. Ray's Modern Elementary Arithmetic, 25c-12c. Ray's Modern Practical Arithmetic, 30c-20c. Natural Primary Geography, 40c-20c. Natural Complete Geography, 80c-40c. Long's New Language Exercises Part I, 12c-6c. Long's New Language Exercises Part II, III, 17c-8c. Long's Lessons in English, 25c-12c. Harvey's New Language Lessons, 25c-12c. Harvey's New English Grammar for Schools, 40c-20c. Maxwell & Smith's Writing in English, 65c-32c. New Century Elementary Physiology, 55c-27c. New Century Intermediate Physiology, 30c-15c. Electric Primary History of U. S., 40c-20c. Electric History of U. S., 70c-35c. Kinkadee's History of Kentucky, 65c-32c. Peterman's Civil Government, 45c-22c. Rational Writing Books, medium and vertical (as ordered) 5c each.

License to Wed.

The following permits to wed have been granted by County Clerk M. S. Ragland since our last issue:

James W. Cox, Pinchco, to P. F. Taylor, Cromwell; Marion Denham, Owensboro, to Octave Basham, Askin; Helfrick Bishop, Centertown, to George E. Carson, Centertown; Selvanes Balze, Balzetown, to Lizzie Balze, Balzetown; Albert L. Carson, Louisville, to Lattie Johnson, No Creek.

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Interesting Convention.

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Ohio County Baptist Association held at the Baptist church here last Saturday and Sunday was largely attended on both days. Quite an interesting program was rendered Saturday and an able and eloquent discourse on Christian Union was delivered Sunday by Dr. W. P. Harvey, of Louisville.

MISTRIAL

Is Entered In The Gillespie Case.

Jury Out Forty-two Hours and an Excused Juror Committed Suicide.

Rising Sun, Ind., May 29.—After deliberating forty-two hours without coming to an agreement, Judge Downey discharged the jury in the Gillespie case this morning. When the jury was brought into the court room, Judge Downey asked them whether there was any probability of agreeing on a verdict, and every one of the twelve men shook his head in the negative. Judge Downey then thanked them and dismissed them from further service.

Prosecutor McMullen said that the State would oppose any effort on the part of the defense to release James Gillespie, and stated that the case would come up again next September.

At the present time, the four defendants are in the same position as they were before the trial began, as the bonds of those released from custody are continued.

Whether or not the defense will elect to be tried separately or jointly, as on this trial, the future will determine.

It is said that a motion will be made before Judge Downey to release James Gillespie from custody and declare him acquitted. In the event that this motion is overruled the defense will ask that James Gillespie be admitted to bail along with the other three defendants, Mr. and Mrs. Barbour and Mrs. Seward, who were indicted with him. Should the writ of habeas corpus be denied by Judge Downey, the matter will be taken to the Supreme Court of the State.

August Greiwe who was on the jury originally but afterwards excused committed suicide last night. It is said he lost his mind worrying over the Gillespie case, and imagined that James Gillespie was trying to kill him.

Centertown.

June 1.—Rev. L. P. Drake attended the Baptist association in Hartford last Saturday and Sunday.

Alvin Rowe and wife spent last Friday with relatives in Hartford.

Tom Hefflin, Rockport, visited his parents here last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bettie House, Rockport, spent last week here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. John Hill and family visited the family of Mr. J. T. Hill, Matanzas, last week.

S. M. James visited S. R. James, Rockport, this week.

Mr. J. A. Tichenor and wife, Matanzas, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Eden Bishop and children, Beaver Dam, visited in our town this week.

Dr. Chapman and Will Sallee, have returned from their trip to Arkansas. They are well pleased with the the country and Mr. Sallee will go back in a short time.

L. C. Brown, recently purchased a home on Church street from F. M. Allen.

J. D. Bell, Matanzas, visited friends here Sunday.

T. H. Benton, Louisville, is visiting his family here this week.

Mr. Helfrick Bishop and Miss Georgia Carson were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of G. R. Carson, of this town, Sunday eve. Rev. E. D. Maddox performed the ceremony.

A party of pleasure seekers went from here to Airdrie last Sunday. The following persons were in the crowd: Misses Bessie Hocker, Erma Tichenor, Emma Morton, Madie Park and Ada Park. Messrs. Claudis Render, S. M. Dexter, Orville Ross, M. M. Dexter and Dr. L. Smith.

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Successful Home Treatment.

Dr. Hartman's Cure for Female Diseases—A Generous Offer to Women.

Invalid Women are Applying by Thousands for Dr. Hartman's Free Home Treatment by Letter.

MRS. J. P. COADY, Treasurer of the Ivy Leaf Club, 1702 6th Avenue, Council Bluffs, Iowa, writes:

"Peruna is no experimental medicine. I have used it off and on now for three years. At that time I was cured of irregular and painful menstruation. Since that time I have taken it for indigestion or whenever I felt overworked and in need of a tonic, and I have always found that it was of great benefit to me. I am therefore pleased and happy to say a word in its praise and shall gladly endorse it to my friends."—Mrs. J. P. Coady.

Miss Hattie Grace, 254 West 40th St., New York, writes:

"Peruna has changed me from a fretful, irritable, nervous woman into a healthy and a happy one. Nothing seems to worry and to fret me any more. Since early womanhood I suffered with bearing down pains and nervousness. I was thin and worried, but Peruna restored me. Those who knew me before cannot understand the change, but I can sum it all up in the blessed word, Peruna."—Hattie Grace.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, No. 181 51st St., Brooklyn, N. Y., President West Brooklyn Audubon Society, writes:

"I am pleased to tell what a blessing Peruna has been to me. Several years ago my constitution seemed broken down and I cared little whether I lived or died. I had taken so much medicine that the sight of a bottle made me sick. I had read about Peruna curing women, and I thought perhaps it would help me. I bought a bottle and before it was finished I felt better. I kept on taking it, and after three months' faithful use I was a well woman and able to do the work and undergo the strain of younger days."—Elizabeth Ferguson.

In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman, the renowned gynecologist, has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as make application to him during the summer months without charge.

The treatment will be conducted by correspondence. The doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygienic and dietary regulations necessary to complete a cure. The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores. This offer will hold good only during the summer months. Any woman can become a regular patient by sending a written statement of her age, condition of life, history and symptoms of her derangements.

All cases of female diseases, including menstrual irregularities, displacements, ulcerations, inflammations, discharges, irritation of the ovaries, tumors and



MRS. J. P. COADY.



MISS. HATTIE GRACE.



MRS. ELIZABETH FERGUSON.



DR. HARTMAN.

dropsy of the abdomen, should apply at once and become registered as regular patients. All correspondence will be held strictly confidential.

As is well known, Dr. Hartman is the president of The Hartman Sanitarium, an institution which has a department devoted exclusively to the treatment of female diseases. He is thus brought to see thousands of such cases every year, the most of whom return to their homes to be treated by correspondence. The principal remedy he relies upon in such cases is Peruna, which every woman should have who has any affection of this kind. Those wishing to become patients should address Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

No one knows better than Dr. Hartman how much the women suffer with diseases peculiar to their sex. No one knows better than he does how many of them suffer with such diseases. Patiently, hopefully, wearily, and often silently, they eke out a miserable existence, year after year.

No martyr in poetry or heroine in romance makes a more touching appeal to human sympathy than the woman burdened with the cares of a family trying to carry the extra load of some tormenting and ever present female disease.

Dr. Hartman's sympathy for such is unbounded, and his willingness to help them limited only to his power.

DEDICATION SERVICE.

Christian Church at Whitesville Scene of Ceremony.

Thousands of people thronged to Whitesville Sunday to attend the dedication of the new Christian church. Special trains were run to accommodate those who desired to witness the solemn and impressive ceremonies and all were crowded to their capacity. The country around Whitesville contributed a large share of its population and probably never before was there such a mammoth gathering in the place as marked this event.

The newly dedicated church is one of the finest in the state belonging to the Christian denomination and is the handsomest protestant house of worship in Daviess county outside of Owensboro. The program of the day was lengthy and elaborate and was rendered with much enthusiasm, the numerous crowd participating in much of the numbers.

Dr. R. H. Crossfield preached the dedicatory sermon. The church was packed with people until not one more could get in, and then three-fourths of the crowd was on the outside, many of them crowding about the doors and windows to hear what was said. The sermon, which was one of the most powerful ever delivered in Whitesville, produced a profound impression.

Farmers Should Organize.

Editor REPUBLICAN:
It seems at last the time has come when quite a number of the farmers

are ready and anxious to manifest at least some interest in their own business in the way of obtaining equitable prices for what they have to sell. Unfortunately for the farmer, some one else has always fixed the price on the stuff that he sells as well as that which he is forced to buy for consumption at home.

It is certainly true that we feed the world, and it is also true that we are the greatest consumers of all other classes, yet we have never been permitted to price that which we have to sell, and nobody has ever dreamed that we should have anything to say as to the price of what we have to buy.

We are of the opinion that we should assert our independence and demand a fair and equitable price for the surplus products of the farm.

The American Society of Equity with headquarters at Indianapolis, Ind., is a co-operative organization with plans perfected for the betterment of the farmers condition by co-operating together for fair prices.

We hope that it may soon be said that a farmers union has been organized in every neighborhood in the county. Let us step to the front and demand what justice would give us.

We hope the farmers of the county will make good use of at least one column of your valuable paper which you have so graciously consented to give to them in order that they may exchange ideas about their business.

Matanzas Local Union No. 1 will hold a public meeting at West Point church on Saturday the 11 day of June. Meeting will be called to order at 1 o'clock p. m. Good speakers will be present to entertain the peo-

ple. Come one, come all and hear something about the things that concern us.

Yours truly,
A. B. TICHENOR, Sec.
Matanzas Local Union No. 1.

In Memory Of

Mrs. S. V. Savage who died at her home in Woodward, Oklahoma, May the 18, 1904. She died of rheumatism and heart trouble. She was not afraid to die, all that grieved her was not getting to see her darling baby boy, Chester, before she died. She was the wife of Rev. J. A. Savage, of Sulphur Springs circuit.

A FRIEND WHO LOVED HER.

Notice

To my creditors! All those knowing themselves indebted to me will please meet me at Rockport, Ky., next Saturday, June 4, and Monday, June 6, prepared to make settlement. As I have discontinued the practice of medicine, my accounts will be placed in the hands of a collector after the latter date. Please don't neglect this.

DR. J. D. MADDOX.

Boatner Not Guilty.

At three o'clock yesterday afternoon the jury empaneled in Circuit Court to try J. W. Boatner charged with assenting to embezzlement filed into court with the verdict, "We the jury find the defendant not guilty." Boatner was immediately dismissed from further custody and is now a free man.

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